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- 1. FAO DIRECTOR GENERAL SAOUMA AT LUNCH HE HOSTED FOR DELEGATES TO WORKING PARTY ON RESTRUCTURING OF FAO COUNCIL ON MARCH 28 WAS VERY APPRECIATIVE OF ORGANIZATION OF WASHINGTON VISIT. HE AND WEST EMPHASIZED PERSONNEL ASPECTS OF THEIR TALKS IN WASHINGTON.
- 2. WEST SAID HE HAD MADE OFFER OF P-5 PROGRAM EVALUATION JOB TO OYLER AND JESSEN IN ORDER OF WEST'S PREFERENCE. WEST WAS NOT SURE WHETHER EITHER MAN WOULD ACCEPT A P-5 POSITION AND BELIEVED BOTH NEEDED TO KNOW MORE ABOUT FAO BEFORE DECIDING.
- 3. WEST ALSO WAS COMPLIMENTARY ABOUT CANADIAN CANDIDATE FOR WFP EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR POSITION. HE SAID DIRECTOR LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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GENERAL WAS EXPECTING A CALL FROM WASHINGTON ON THIS ISSUE. U. S. REPRESENTATIVE GAVE BRIEF SUMMARY OF STATUS DRAWING ON REFTEL (B). WEST ALSO SAID THAT UN SECRETARY GENERAL WALDHEIM HAD NOT YET COMMITTED HIMSELF ON POST FOR CANADIAN AS HE WAS STILL LOOKING FOR LATIN AMERICAN.GARDNER

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